



Weekly What's-On

for the Chet Valley Churches 28 January 2024

in conjunction with our Info Sheet, available in church and at www.chetvalleychurches.org

Diary Dates

- Sun 28 9.30am Holy Communion, Hardley
10.45am Combined Holy Communion for
Covenant Sunday, Loddon (St J)
6.30 for 7pm Last Sunday Praise, Loddon (St J)
- Mon 29 9am, Morning Prayer, Loddon (St J)
10am-12noon, Monday Mardles, Chedgrave
- Tue 30 9am, Morning Prayer, Hardley
- Wed 31 9am, Morning Prayer, Chedgrave
Noah's Ark for toddlers, St John's Chapel, Loddon
2.30pm Wednesday afternoon study group,
St John's Chapel, Loddon
- Thur 1 9am, Morning Prayer, Loddon (St J)
Noah's Ark Worship, Saxon House
3.45pm Xtra! service, St John's Chapel, Loddon
- Fri 2 9am, Morning Prayer, Sisland
- Sat 3 9am, Morning Prayer, Chedgrave
Visit to Glass Workshop
- Feb 3 7pm Just Desserts (pud evening), St John's
Lecture Hall

Advance dates

- Feb 14 7.30pm, Ash Wednesday service, Loddon
- Feb 14 10am-12noon, Coffee morning, 9 Sycamore
Avenue, Loddon
- Feb 16 7pm, Quiz and supper, Chedgrave
- Feb 19 2pm, First Lent Group at 4 Market Place
- Feb 21 12noon-1.30pm, Lent Lunches start, St John's
- Feb 21 2.30pm, First Weds Group Lent study, St John's

Prayers for this week

On this Covenant Sunday pray for the combined service.
Pray also for Last Sunday Praise - pray that more will come
and join us for this informal service.

Readings, Prayers and Services

Readings for today

Jeremiah 31. 31-34
Romans 12. 1-2
John 15. 1-10

Prayer for today—Epiphany 4

God of heaven,
you send the gospel
to the ends of the earth
and your messengers to every nation:
send your Holy Spirit to transform us
by the good news of everlasting life
in Jesus Christ our Lord.

Services for next week—2 before Lent

8.00am Holy Communion BCP, Sisland
9.00am Informal Communion, Chedgrave
10am-12noon Xpressions Cafe,
Chedgrave
10.45am Holy Communion, Loddon (St J)

Readings for next week

Proverbs 8. 1, 22-31
Colossians 1. 15-20
John 1. 1-14
Psalm 104. 26-end

Urgent Prayers

To ask for urgent prayer either for
yourself or for someone else, contact Ros
Hoffmann on 01508 548200, email
roshoffmann2011@gmail.com

News and Events

Just Desserts—3 Feb

If you haven't bought your tickets for Just Desserts and you'd like to be there (Why not???) then please see Nina Owen today or contact her on 01508 522993, email theroamingfenlander@gmail.com The pud evening will be in St John's Lecture Hall at 7pm on 3 Feb. Tickets cost £8.

Quiz and Supper—16 Feb

Do you fancy baked potatoes with fillings, delicious desserts and quizzing in table teams? Chedgrave's Quiz and Supper is at 7pm on 16 Feb. Come on your own or invite friends and family to make a team of eight. Tickets costing £12.50 full price, £10 concession and £35 for a family ticket are available from Alison Ball on 01508 528126, ball880am@btinternet.com

Lent Lunches—Can you help?

This year's Lent Lunches will start on 21 Feb in St John's Lecture Hall (12noon-1.30pm). We will need people to help in the kitchen (serving soup, making hot drinks or washing up), people to act as waiters and people to make soup. If you can do any of these things, please get in touch with Belinda Barwick on 01508 520351 email belindabarwick@yahoo.co.uk.

Funeral

You may be aware that Eileen Knights, a stalwart member of the Hardley congregation, died recently. Her funeral will be on Thursday 8 February at 11am in Hardley church.

Coffee Morning—14 Feb

Daphne Gibson is running a coffee morning on 14 Feb at 9 Sycamore Close, Loddon. It will be in aid of the Mother's Union appeal to help women and girls in Uganda who face cultural restrictions in many areas of their lives, often including forced marriage and domestic abuse. Please come and support the coffee morning.

Glass Workshop Visit—3 Feb

A fundraising visit has been arranged to see the workshop where Devlin Plummer are working on our glass from the All Saints east window. It is in the morning of Sat 3 Feb, costs £10 per person and is limited to 20 people. To book contact Alison Ball on 01508 528126.

Lent Group—Advance Notice

During Lent David Owen will be leading a group on Mondays at 2pm at 4 Market Place, starting on 19 Feb. It will be loosely based around the question "Why are we here?" As usual, each session will stand alone, so it's OK if you can't come to all of them. If possible, please tell David if you would like to be there.

Monday Evening Group

A Monday evening group meets in Chedgrave, currently looking at Susanna Gunner's Mapping John. Dates and venue change depending on people's availability, so please contact Mandy Heggarty for details. Most weeks are standalone so there's no need to worry about joining midway. Contact Mandy on 07714432915 or mandy.yates25@btinternet.com

About the Weekly What's-On

The What's-On seeks to serve and inform people across the Chet Valley churches. Send your contributions to news.chetvalleychurches@gmail.com or phone 01508 522993 and speak to Nina Owen (Editor). To receive the What's-On each week by email send an email to the above address.